Transmittal Letter to the United States 1560868 Page 1 Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) IAP4 Rec'd PCT/PTO 13 DEC ZONY : PR-80PCT Docket No. U.S. Application No. International Application No.: PCT/EP04/06195 International Filing Date. : June 9, 2004 : June 13, 2003 Priority Date Claimed Lutz Barich and Rotger Barich Title of Invention Applicant(s) for (DO/EO/US) : FLOOD PROTECTION WALL Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. \underline{X} This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 3. X This express request to begin national examination procedures 35 U.S.C. 371 (f) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set forth in 35 U.S.C 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). 4. ___ A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]. a) \underline{X} is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b) ___ has been transmitted by the international Bureau. c) is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. X A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C.371(c)(2)]. 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)]. a) ___ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b) ___ have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c) ___ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d) have not been made and will not be made. 8. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)]. 9. X An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C.371(c)(4)]. UNSIGNED 10. ___ A translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report. Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included: 11. X An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 198. 12. ___ An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. _X_ A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 14. ___ A substitute specification. 15. ___ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 16. X (other items or information) Eight sheets of drawings, PTO-1449 w/ 2 references and International Search Report EXPRESS MAIL No .: EV 635 866 485 US Deposited: December 13, 2005

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service Express mail under 37 CFR 1.10 on

the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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| 17. X The following fees are submitted: BASIC NATIONAL FEE [37 CFR 1.492(a) (1) - (5)]: | CALCUL - ATIONS | PTO USE ONLY |
| X Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO | 00.00 | |
| Neither International preliminary examination fee [37 CFR 1.482] nor International search fee [37 CFR 1.445(a)(2]) paid to USPTO: | 000.00 | |
| Surcharge of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 20_{30} months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)] | :\$ 1000.00 | |
| Small Entity Status is being claimed | 00.00 L:\$ 500.00 | |
| Processing fee of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the English Translation later than2030 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)] | \$ 500.00 | |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet [37 CFR 3.28.3.31]. \$ 40.00 per property\$ | | |
| TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED: AMOUNT TO BE REFUNDED: AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED: | | |
| a) X The amount of \$ 500.00 to cover the above fees is being charged as per attached form PTO-2038. b) Please charge my Deposit Account No. 11-1835 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. c) X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required. or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1835. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. | | |
| SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Friedrich Kueffner 317 Madison Avenue Suite 910 New York, NY 10017 Friedrich Kueffner 29,482 | December 1 | 13, 2005 |
| Name signature Reg. No. CUSTOMER NUMBER: 00040570 | Date . | |